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DRUMMER OF SHILOH.

Famous Grand Army Man Will Be Here at Celebration.—Sports Arranged.

Starting right off the reel on Monday morning, the work of the closing up all preparations for the big celebration in Covina on Saturday, July third, will be pushed forward by the various committees in charge, and the affair will be a big success from every standpoint. Already the program of the day is outlined. One of the big features of the day will be the music of the Grand Army drum corps from Los Angeles. These fifteen men are all members of the grand army, and their music has become famous on the coast. With them is the old musician who was the "original drummer of Shiloh," about whom so many tales have been written. This famous old soldier will play some of his roll call on the program. The drum corps furnishes very good music, both of the old time patriotism and up-to-date rag-time.

Everything has been arranged for the coming of the Cantons. Major Clapp will have buttons and badges on sale during the coming week. The ground at the corner of Badillo and Citrus avenue, where all the exercises will take place, has been rolled and smoothed, and here the tents will be erected for the program. No matter how hot it is, the people will be made comfortable on that day. Rev. Will A. Knighton of [illegible] will deliver the address [illegible] and a male quartette will sing. The part of the program takes place between 11 o'clock and 1:30. The Rebekahs will serve dinner in the Oddfellows building, and church societies will also look after the hungry.

The list of sports as prepared by the sports committee, of which Howard Douglas is chairman, is to be varied. Already many entries have been received from surrounding towns. Entry blanks can be secured on application. The boys of Covina are in training for the sports. The full program will be distributed in Covina and surrounding towns during the coming week, and the Covina Argus will contain all news connected with the event on Friday, the day previous to the events. Watch for the Argus on Friday morning. It will contain many special sale advertisements of Covina merchants, and the full program.

The baseball management has just received word from Long Beach that insures the ball team from that town to play the locals in the afternoon.

Devoted Pastor Leaves For a Vacation.

The Rev. S. W. Gage, who left last Tuesday on the Baptist special to attend the Baptist national convention at Oregon, will be absent a month, and will have a varied and delightful holiday, his expenses being paid throughout by members of his congregation and northern friends. On Wednesday evening, after the prayer-meeting, Mr. J. H. Matthews with a witty speech, presented Mr. Gage with $25 from the congregation to be expended in buying a new "traveling suit."

A family reunion will be held at Spokane, Washington, and two former pastorates will be visited, Dayton, where he spent three years, and Palouse, six years under his care.

Mr. Gage is dearly loved in the town for his gentle Christian character and fervid industry in the cause of Christ. All friends wish him benefit from his well-earned vacation.

New Quarters.

On Thursday, July 1st, Horne's grocery will be ready to receive visitors in the new building two doors north of the First National Bank. The store is well fitted up, and Mr Horne has one of the finest stocks of any store of its kind in the valley. Mr. Horne is advertising a reception with free ice cream and other delectable things on the day of his opening

MISSIONARY ADDRESS.

Children Enjoy Special Services in Presbyterian School. Baptist School Shows Growth.

The exercises of the Presbyterian Sunday-school last Sunday were a success from every standpoint, and the scholars joined in heartily in making the affair a pleasing one. The school was heard in many numbers. An address by Rev. Mr. Butterfield of Los Angeles, who has experienced wide fields in missionary work, pleased the audience greatly. Rev. Butterfield is actively engaged in Sunday-school work on the coast. Among the numbers were the following: Duet, Muriel and Lorene Bemis; recitation, Luella Roberts; exercise, "The Decision of the Flowers," class of Mrs. Waterhouse; recitation, Chauncey Huff; recitation, Mary and Francis Gaebke; recitation, Caroline J. Blanchard. Many other numbers were rendered by the school.

At the Baptist Church the building was filled with parents and relatives of the young folks participating in the affair, and the program was varied and very pleasing. Mrs. A. H. Collins, who has been in charge of the school for several years, made this the nature of a farewell, as she is about to leave the town. The school has grown larger and much more efficient under her management, and it was with regret that the scholars learned of her preparation to leave. [illegible]

FOREST FIRE CHECKED.

Canyon Blaze at Sharp's Flats Blackens One Mountain.

Fighting fire in the San Gabriel canyon, where the world stands on end, a dozen fire wardens, aided by visitors at Camp Rincon, defeated the first conflagration of the season on Tuesday, but not until 1000 acres had been whipped by the flames.

In the brigade of fire fighters was Police Justice Williams of Los Angeles and J. H. Russell. County Treasurer Hunt was fishing far up the canyon, and returned too late to help. Judge Williams returned from the battle blackened and disheveled, with clothes burned and ragged.

The blaze originated just below the old silver mine, near Sharp's Flats, and was caused, it is thought, by the cigar butt of a careless camper. Fire Warden H. D. Briggs, proprietor of Camp Rincon, hurried to the scene with a wagonload of men, and joined Fire Warden Glenny of Monrovia, who had a force on the fire line. Seven hours of exhausting work checked the blaze, and saved thousands of acres from devastation. The national forest is well policed this year.

Stevens-Mason.

The marriage of Charles H. Stevens and Miss Flora Mae Mason took place on Sunday afternoon at the parsonage of the Baptist Church, Rev. S. W. Gage officiating. Relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony, after which the newly married couple left for Long Beach, where a short honeymoon will be spent. Mr. Stevens will take up his residence in Covina. Congratulations and the good wishes of everyone in Covina will go with the bride and groom. "Charlie" Stevens has ever been a good scout in the right way. Since coming to Covina he has been interested in the welfare of the young fellows of his own age, and has done much to build up advantages for the young men of his set. He was one who was especially active in forming the young men's athletic club, and has always been interested in Y.M.C.A. work. With his brother he was for a time engaged in the bakery business here, and for some time was connected with Custer's furniture store. The bride is a cousin of Mrs. Oscar Miller, and is a native of Kansas, and since coming here she has made many friends.

CITIZENS ACTIVE.

San Bernardino Road Residents Organize Against Change of "Good Roads" Route.

A meeting was held last Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. G. J. Reynolds for the purpose of organizing against any opposition to the San Bernardino road route of the good roads boulevard. About thirty were present. The matter of changing the boulevard from San Bernardino road to Puente street was discussed pro and con, and it was decided by those present that the law establishing where the boulevard should be was very clear, and that unless it should be repealed no change in the boulevard route was possible.

A vote was taken to ascertain how much money could be raised to carry on a legal fight against the proposed change. Those present unanimously agreed to deposit from ten to fifteen dollars per acre to fight the case. It was estimated that between one and five thousand dollars could thus be raised. A committee was appointed to secure the services of the best law firm obtainable and was instructed to combat any change of route in the San Bernardino road boulevard route by injunction, and any further legal proceedings that might be necessary.

SPREE ENDS BADLY.

[illegible] Court.

Because he attempted to break down a door and used violent and profane language in the presence of his daughter who was lying critically ill, John Smith was arrested this week, and in a jury trial before Justice Warner was sentenced to a fine of $60 or 60 days in jail. Smith, it is alleged, had been on a spree for the past two weeks, and was in an ugly condition. His daughter, Mrs. Mitchell, was terribly frightened by his entrance into her room. Mitchell, her husband, ordered the father-in-law from the house, and when he refused to go, assisted him out of doors. Smith plead not guilty to the charge of disturbing the peace and entered a counter suit of assault against his son-in-law. A jury composed of A. R. Evans, foreman; R. A. Welch, Geo. B. Scofield, William Hanson, J. R. Crouch and Mike Rebham, found Smith guilty. His fine was paid by Joe Laycook, who took the old man out to his ranch.

Amphion Club Meeting.

The Amphion Society met last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bemis for their last meeting for the season and election of officers for the ensuing year. The spacious lower floor was brilliantly illuminated and adorned with a wealth of blossoms and potted plants.

The bright and well-informed musical bulletin given by Mrs. W. M. Griswold was illustrated by selections from each of the composers and singers mentioned on the pianola and phonograph.

Refreshments were served by the charming coterie of hostesses, Mmes. Bemis, John Brunjes, La Fetra and A. H. Collins.

Berner Grove Sold.

D. W. MacDonald, Covina representative of the Edwards & Wildey Company, reports the sale for O. J. Berner to Francis J. Burke of Los Angeles, the 15 acre orange grove located at the southwest corner of Cypress and Lark Ellen streets. The property is improved with a five-room bungalow. Fiveacres is in ten year old navels, balance 2 year old Valencia price includes team and all farm implements.

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A Minister on Newspaper Work.

Dr. Malcolm McLeod, the eloquent pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Pasadena, recently read a paper on the daily newspaper, in which he discussed its opportunities and difficulties in a discriminating and appreciative manner. Speaking of the matter of getting news straight, he said:

"I sympathize with the newspaper brotherhood deeply in the matter of giving the tone of truth to their papers. I believe they are as a class most anxious to do so, but it is one of the hardest things often times in life to get down to bed rock and report the very actuality of things. Reporters have to deal with conflicting material and contradictory evidence. No two eyes are alike. No people see the same thing. And how difficult it is oftentimes to get at the very truth.

"The aim of the newspaper is to give us the news. It means fresh tidings, recent intelligence, something that has lately happened. The reporter wants the last thing; what is a few hours old is flat. He is on the scene for something fresh. The past is nothing, the future is little more, the present is everything. He is a camera man alert to snatch the moment that is going by."

If some of the people who complain about the inaccuracy of newspaper reports would consider the facts which Dr. McLeod mentions, they would not be so critical. The conditions under which the reporter must get his facts should always be taken into account. The reading public demands that the news be fresh—it does not want stories that are a week old or even a day old. The reporter gets wind of a story perhaps only an hour before time of going to press. He must rush out, interview or telephone two or three people, get at the facts as best he can and hasten back to the office, rattle off the report on the typewriter and get it into the hands of the linotype operators. If it is late in the day, the copy will be taken away from him sheet by sheet and he will not even have a chance to read it over. There is not time to verify every rumor or to interview every one interested; the only thing to do in this strenuous age of newspaper work is to find out all you can and avoid as many mistakes as possible. The wonder really is not that so many mistakes are made, but that the news is so correctly reported. When you read in the evening paper a column report of something that happened late in the afternoon, do not criticise the form of the story and pick flaws in its accuracy on nonessential points, but marvel at the mental alertness of the news gatherer and modern mechanical facilities of the newspaper office that make it possible for you to read the story that day at all.

Remember that the sworn testimony of witnesses regarding the same event as given in court varies exceedingly and think how much more difficult it is to sift the conflicting report of some exciting occurrences that will be given the eager reporter who rushes to the scene to get a live story.

Dr. McLeod pays the following tribute to the newspaper worker, and every member of the fraternity who reads his kindly words will appreciate deeply the truth of what he says:

"There is not another brain worker in the world, I am tempted to say, who carries the burden of the editor. The politician during the campaign makes about fifty orations, but its the same old oration over and over. The only thing new is the audience. If a Congressman makes four or five speeches a session he is thought usually to have acquitted himself admirably. George Curtis once said: 'It takes me months to prepare a lecture and how a clergyman can get up two sermons a week is a mystery.' But here is the editor. Our work is small fry compared with this. Every morning or evening that paper must appear and it must be different from yesterday's issues. That editorial column must be written. That leader must be ready for type. There is no vacation [in] the journalistic world. The sanctum is never closed. It is a stupendous, a colassal undertaking. The teacher is in the school room five days out of the week, nine or ten months in the year. How would he like to teach six or seven days in the week every week in the year? But that is what the newspaper man has to do in many cases. The paper must come out every evening or every morning, and the issue must be different from the one preceding."

Dr. McLeod refers to the preacher. We wonder how many of them would [illegible] to prepare a sermon every day. But [illegible] is what the editorial writer on a daily paper must do for the [illegible]

framed along very similar lines to the modern sermon. Sometimes it deals with quite different topics, it is true, and then again it is a plea for civic righ[illegible] and political reform very much like that which is made from the pulpit.

We wonder how the lawyer would like to be put against the proposition of arguing a new case every day. But the newspaper man day after day often faces just such a situation. He must prepare a brief on some current question that ought to have as much careful study and investigation as a lawyer would give to the preparation of an argument to judge or jury. The newspaper writer, however, cannot take time for a thorough search of investigation of law, history or science (as the case may be) he must frame his statement and send it out to his readers. Do you wonder that the editorial is not always classic, when it must be composed under those conditions?

The newspaper man works under tremendous pressure; he tries to tell the truth, to be accurate and fair; and he tries to strike sturdy blows for progress and righteousness. But necessarily his work must sometimes be crude and imperfect. Nobody knows it better than he does. But he is getting out a daily and he must do it quickly. Before him all day or night is hour of press time hurrying him to the stake. And he must follow that inexorable task master with breathless haste or fall by the wayside.—Riverside Press.

For Cleaning Wall-Paper.

To clean wall-paper use the following recipe: Ten cents' worth of liquid ammonia, ten cents' worth of oil of sassafras, one teaspoonful (even full) of soda, two teaspoonfuls (even full) of salt and one quart of cold water. Mix the cold water with the ingredients, then add white flour until it is thick enough to drop from a spoon. Put in a covered pail, set in a kettle of boiling water, and cook until done, stirring often. If it does not stick to the hands when cool, it is done. Remove from the pail and divide into "loaves," working each piece a while in the hand. Take out only what is needed, leaving the rest covered in the pail, to prevent the ammonia from evaporating. Rub the wall with the loaf, working the dirt into the dough. When very dirty, exchange for a clean loaf. This removes dirt and grease magically and leaves old paper as good as new when used carefully.—Woman's Home Companion for June.

"KISS YOUR HEADS OFF."

This is the Command of Pittsburg's Chief of Police.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 17.—"Let 'em kiss their heads off; give 'em room," was the gist of an order handed down to the police of this city by Superintendent Thomas McQuaide when asked for a decision on spooning in the big public parks of Pittsburg. As a result, McQuaide is perhaps the most popular police official that has ever been in Pittsburg.

What is still better, the great American privilege of the young man to take his best girl into the parks and there kiss her—if she is willing—will not be curtailed in this city in spite of the protests of the elderly women of Pittsburg, who have gone to see the chief of police to have lovemaking stopped in the parks. The police have been ordered not to interfere.

"I don't like the lovers' lanes in the parks—those long dark ways where lovers have been in the habit of hiding, but favor more benches, where the light is subdued enough not to embarrass the young people in the park," said Chief McQuaide today. "If I can assist the young man and young woman to an hour's quiet time together in our parks I am going to do it. Let 'em kiss, sure. And, what is more, we want to give them better accommodations than they have at this time. We want to put in more benches, where more kissing parties can be held. If a fellow wants to take his best girl to the park, and there give her a little squeeze and a few kisses, and she is willing—why, more power to them both.

"I'm their friend, and down with the calamity howlers. More light, more benches and more kissing in the parks looks like a pretty good platform."

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COVINA RANCHERS' PICNIC.

Farmers' Club Spent Last Saturday at Walnut Creek.

The Covina Farmers' Club picnic was attended by about fifty people last Saturday, and a most enjoyable time was indulged in.

The picnic dinner was exceptionally fine and embraced all the good things of the season. Ben. T. Thorpe, the popular president of the club, came home from the North to attend the picnic. Speeches were made by several members of the club and the whole club joined in singing old familiar songs, telling stories and visiting with each other. Several outside guests were present, including Mr. and Mrs. Vere Goldthwaite.

The next meeting of the club will be at the residence of C. E. Bemis.

Knights of Pythias.

The Knights of Pythias have organized a lodge in Covina and extend an invitation to all K. P.'s in Covina and neighboring towns to meet with them next Monday evening, June 29th. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Chancelor commander, F. M. McHugh; vice chancelor, W. F. Snodgrass; keeper of the records and seal, T. W. Smith; master of exchequer, W. B. Gemmiel; master of work, J. K. Strosnider; prelate, W. P. Marshall; master at arms, J. D. Poe; inner guard, S. Blum; outer guard, H. R. Seat.

Meeting called to order at 8 o'clock at the Reo Garage.

All Should Visit the Exposition.

What the Pacific coast region can do has never been better told than by the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, now in progress at Seattle. One hundred Californians, under the auspices of the California Promotion Committee, and other commercial organizations of California, went to the exposition in a magnificent special train, and they have returned filled with the vast importance of this exposition as an educational factor in the development and upbuilding of the coast.

What these hundred Californians have seen should be seen by every Californian. The exhibits equal those of any exposition ever held, and in addition to having most of the things that have been seen in other expositions, there are many that have never been featured before. Everyone who visits this exposition cannot fail to return to his home with a higher sentiment of loyalty to his country and a feeling of pride in his own state.

The various government buildings and exhibits are worth going across the continent to see, and the California building and exhibit is unsurpassed by any state exhibit at the fair.

The men who went with the California Promotion Committee, and the committee itself, join in urging a large attendance from California. California is equally interested with Washington in making this exposition a grand success. The exposition merits the attention of everyone, and has surpassed the expectations of all who visit it. Everyone looks forward every year to an outing, and this year no better outing can be planned than a trip to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, for by doing this you are not only being educated regarding the entire Pacific coast region, but you are helping California by helping Washington.

Catalina Island Notes.

The regular season at this charming watering place was opened on Saturday last, when a grand concert by the celebrated Catalina band was given in the open air amphitheater, which has seating accommodations for four thousand people. This splendid band, under the direction of those old public favorites, Porter and Kammermier, won the continued applause of the audience, which consisted of a thousand visitors and the whole population of Avalon. After the concert, dancing was kept up in the pavilion until 12 o'clock.

Over one hundred thousand dollars is being spent in improvements, adding to the natural attractions of this place, which together with the free camping grounds and excellence of the fishing, is already causing a large influx of visitors, and from the number of applications at the Santa Catalina Island Company for camping privileges, this season promises to be a record-breaker.

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Honest Values

I heard a man say he used to work in a band where the leader got a hundred dollars a week, and he got ten dollars a week—"but he got his." Lots of people buy an article and think they are getting two dollars' worth of merchandise, when it's almost a cinch they are not getting good value for their dollar. It's just as easy for a card writer or an advt. writer to say "This article $7.50, reduced from $20," as it is to say "This article is $7.50 and pays a profit at that price," which is the truth, for landlords, lighting companies or salesfolks must be paid, and very few merchants are in business exclusively for their health. It's all a mistake. It's all a confidence game to get between you and your bank account. The department stores and the kike stores originated the idea, and a lot of good but misguided merchants are copying. If every honest man and woman would discourage it, it would mean much more to the rising generation than the closing of race tracks, the protection of vice, the closing of the saloons, or the abandonment of many of our so-called evils. For it is teaching dishonesty and forcing our poor boys and girls who work in stores to be untruthful and dishonest in order to earn their daily bread, and the price paid is hardly sufficient to keep body and soul together. Is it any wonder employees steal, when they see their employer doing it every day? Is it any wonder young men go out in the world and become corrupt politicians or confidence men, when they have been educated along these lines by so-called reputable business houses? It must be stopped, but one man can not do it single-handed. Every fellow in our stores is told if he misrepresents an article he will lose his job. Every dollar shirt is marked $1.00. You are not told they are worth $2.00 or $2.50, for they are not. They are the best dollar shirts we can buy to sell at $1.00.

It's a wonder to me people don't get sick of hot air all the time. Chief of Police Dishman said the other day that 25000 people in Los Angeles live off suckers, and he didn't count the kikes on Main street either.

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A Minister on Newspaper Work.

Dr. Malcolm McLeod, the eloquent pastor of the First Presbyterian Church at Pasadena, recently read a paper on the daily newspaper, in which he discussed its opportunities and difficulties in a discriminating and appreciative manner. Speaking of the matter of getting news straight, he said:

"I sympathize with the newspaper brotherhood deeply in the matter of giving the tone of truth to their papers. I believe they are as a class most anxious to do so, but it is one of the hardest things often times in life to get down to bed rock and report the very actuality of things. Reporters have to deal with conflicting material and contradictory evidence. No two eyes are alike. No people see the same thing. And how difficult it is oftentimes to get at the very truth.

"The aim of the newspaper is to give us the news. It means fresh tidings, recent intelligence, something that has lately happened. The reporter wants the last thing; what is a few hours old is flat. He is on the scene for something fresh. The past is nothing, the future is little more, the present is everything. He is a camera man alert to snatch the moment that is going by."

If some of the people who complain about the inaccuracy of newspaper reports would consider the facts which Dr. McLeod mentions, they would not be so critical. The conditions under which the reporter must get his facts should always be taken into account. The reading public demands that the news be fresh—it does not want stories that are a week old or even a day old. The reporter gets wind of a story perhaps only an hour before time of going to press. He must rush out, interview or telephone two or three people, get at the facts as best he can and hasten back to the office, rattle off the report on the typewriter and get it into the hands of the linotype operators. If it is late in the day, the copy will be taken away from him sheet by sheet and he will not even have a chance to read it over. There is not time to verify every rumor or to interview every one interested; the only thing to do in this strenuous age of newspaper work is to find out all you can and avoid as many mistakes as possible. The wonder really is not that so many mistakes are made, but that the news is so correctly reported. When you read in the evening paper a column report of something that happened late in the afternoon, do not criticise the form of the story and pick flaws in its accuracy on nonessential points, but marvel at the mental alertness of the news gatherer and modern mechanical facilities of the newspaper office that make it possible for you to read the story that day at all.

Remember that the sworn testimony of witnesses regarding the same event as given in court varies exceedingly and think how much more difficult it is to sift the conflicting report of some exciting occurrences that will be given the eager reporter who rushes to the scene to get a live story.

Dr. McLeod pays the following tribute to the newspaper worker, and every member of the fraternity who reads his kindly words will appreciate deeply the truth of what he says:

"There is not another brain worker in the world, I am tempted to say, who carries the burden of the editor. The politician during the campaign makes about fifty orations, but its the same old oration over and over. The only thing new is the audience. If a Congressman makes four or five speeches a session he is thought usually to have acquitted himself admirably. George Curtis once said: 'It takes me months to prepare a lecture and how a clergyman can get up two sermons a week is a mystery.' But here is the editor. Our work is small try compared with this. Every morning or evening that paper must appear and it must be different from yesterday's issues. That editorial column must be written. That leader must be ready for type. There is no vacation the journalistic world. The sanctum is never closed. It is a stupendous, a colassal undertaking.

The teacher is in the school room five days out of the week, nine or ten months in the year. How would he like to teach six or seven days in the week every week in the year? But that is what the newspaper man has to do in many cases. The paper must come out every evening or every morning, and the issue must be different from the one preceding."

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framed along very similar lines to the modern sermon. Sometimes it deals with quite different topics, it is true, and then again it is a plea for civic righteousness and political reform very much like that which is made from the pulpit.

We wonder how the lawyer would like to be put against the proposition of arguing a new case every day. But the newspaper man day after day often faces just such a situation. He must prepare a brief on some current question that ought to have as much careful study and investigation as a lawyer would give to the preparation of an argument to judge or jury. The newspaper writer, however, cannot take time for a thorough search of investigation of law, history or science (as the case may be) he must frame his statement and send it out to his readers. Do you wonder that the editorial is not always classic, when it must be composed under those conditions?

The newspaper man works under tremendous pressure; he tries to tell the truth, to be accurate and fair; and he tries to strike sturdy blows for progress and righteousness. But necessarily his work must sometimes be crude and imperfect. Nobody knows it better than he does. But he is getting out a daily and he must do it quickly. Before him all day or night is hour of press time hurrying him to the stake. And he must follow that inexorable task master with breathless haste or fall by the wayside.—Riverside Press.

For Cleaning Wall-Paper.

To clean wall-paper use the following recipe: Ten cents' worth of liquid ammonia, ten cents' worth of oil of sassafras, one teaspoonful (even full) of soda, two teaspoonfuls (even full) of salt and one quart of cold water. Mix the cold water with the ingredients, then add white flour until it is thick enough to drop from a spoon. Put in a covered pail, set in a kettle of boiling water, and cook until done, stirring often. If it does not stick to the hands when cool, it is done. Remove from the pail and divide into "loaves," working each piece a while in the hand. Take out only what is needed, leaving the rest covered in the pail, to prevent the ammonia from evaporating. Rub the wall with the loaf, working the dirt into the dough. When very dirty, exchange for a clean loaf. This removes dirt and grease magically and leaves old paper as good as new when used carefully.—Woman's Home Companion for June.

"KISS YOUR HEADS OFF."

This is the Command of Pittsburg's Chief of Police.

PITTSBURG, Pa., June 17.—"Let 'em kiss their heads off; give 'em room," was the gist of an order handed down to the police of this city by Superintendent Thomas McQuaide when asked for a decision on spooning in the big public parks of Pittsburg. As a result, McQuaide is perhaps the most popular police official that has ever been in Pittsburg.

What is still better, the great American privilege of the young man to take his best girl into the parks and there kiss her—if she is willing—will not be curtailed in this city in spite of the protests of the elderly women of Pittsburg, who have gone to see the chief of police to have lovemaking stopped in the parks. The police have been ordered not to interfere.

"I don't like the lovers' lanes in the parks—those long dark ways where lovers have been in the habit of hiding, but favor more benches, where the light is subdued enough not to embarrass the young people in the park," said Chief McQuaide today. "If I can assist the young man and young woman to an hour's quiet time together in our parks I am going to do it. Let 'em kiss, sure. And, what is more, we want to give them better accommodations than they have at this time. We want to put in more benches, where more kissing parties can be held. If a fellow wants to take his best girl to the park, and there give her a little squeeze and a few kisses and she is willing—why, more power to them both.

"I'm their friend, and down with the calamity howlers. More light, more benches and more kissing in the parks looks like a pretty good platform."

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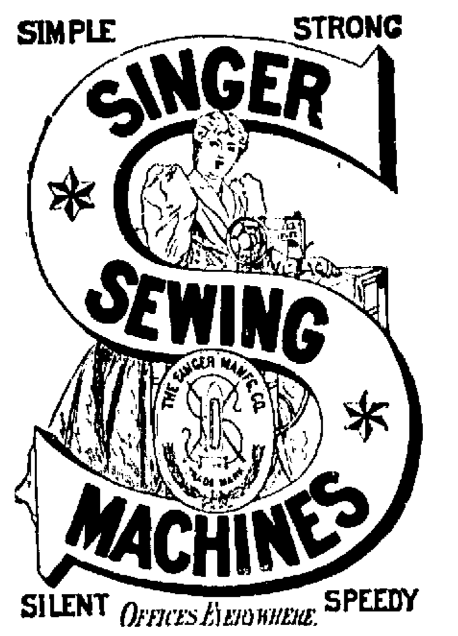

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Farmers' Club Spent Last Saturday at Walnut Creek.

The Covina Farmers' Club picnic was attended by about fifty people last Saturday, and a most enjoyable time was indulged in.

The picnic dinner was exceptionally fine and embraced all the good things of the season. Ben. T. Thorpe, the popular president of the club, came home from the North to attend the picnic. Speeches were made by several members of the club and the whole club joined in singing old familiar songs, telling stories and visiting with each other. Several outside guests were present, including Mr. and Mrs. Vere Goldthwaite.

The next meeting of the club will be at the residence of C. E. Bemis.

Knights of Pythias.

The Knights of Pythias have organized a lodge in Covina and extend an invitation to all K. P.'s in Covina and neighboring towns to meet with them next Monday evening, June 29th. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: Chancelor commander, F. M. McHugh; vice chancelor, W. F. Snodgrass; keeper of the records and seal, T. W. Smith; master of exchequer, W. B. Gemmiel; master of work, J. K. Stresnider; prelate, W. P. Marshall; master at arms, J. D. Poe; inner guard, S. Blum; outer guard, H. R. Seat.

Meeting called to order at 8 o'clock at the Reo Garage.

All Should Visit the Exposition.

What the Pacific coast region can do has never been better told than by the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, now in progress at Seattle. One hundred Californians, under the auspices of the California Promotion Committee, and other commercial organizations of California, went to the exposition in a magnificent special train, and they have returned filled with the vast importance of this exposition as an educational factor in the development and upbuilding of the coast.

What these hundred Californians have seen should be seen by every Californian. The exhibits equal those of any exposition ever held, and in addition to having most of the things that have been seen in other expositions, there are many that have never been featured before. Everyone who visits this exposition cannot fail to return to his home with a higher sentiment of loyalty to his country and a feeling of pride in his own state.

The various government buildings and exhibits are worth going across the continent to see, and the California building and exhibit is unsurpassed by any state exhibit at the fair.

The men who went with the California Promotion Committee, and the committee itself, join in urging a large attendance from California. California is equally interested with Washington in making this exposition a grand success. The exposition merits the attention of everyone, and has surpassed the expectations of all who visit it. Everyone looks forward every year to an outing, and this year no better outing can be planned than a trip to the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition, for by doing this you are not only being educated regarding the entire Pacific coast region, but you are helping California by helping Washington.

Catalina Island Notes.

The regular season at this charming watering place was opened on Saturday last, when a grand concert by the celebrated Catalina band was given in the open air amphitheater, which has seating accommodations for four thousand people. This splendid band, under the direction of those old public favorites, Porter and Kammermier, won the continued applause of the audience, which consisted of a thousand visitors and the whole population of Avalon. After the concert, dancing was kept up in the pavilion until 12 o'clock.

Over one hundred thousand dollars is being spent in improvements, adding to the natural attractions of this place, which together with the free camping grounds and excellence of the fishing, is already causing a large influx of visitors, and from the number of applications at the Santa Catalina Island Company for camping privileges, this season promises to be a record-breaker.

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Through, Not Around.

The Argus has printed communications from both friendly factions relating to the route of the "good roads" at the point where it approaches Covina. It is natural that residents of the San Bernardino road, which is the proposed route of the boulevard, should be desirous of keeping the line of roadway on this street, but for the general good of the largest portion of people, it should not be so.

The proposed change in the route brings the thoroughfare down Puente street, thence up Citrus avenue through the town and on to Elliott's corner, where it turns east again. The petition being circulated argues that this will perform the best work for the town, whereas the present route will go around the city altogether. This is an important point in favor of this petition. The route should be changed to that of Puente street in order that the immediate town may receive some benefit. Again, the strongest feature in favor of the new route is that it will bring all through-going traffic into the city, where trade is possible, and where the town may be seen and receive some recognition from the traveling public. With the road running on San Bernardino road the public might pass without having knowledge that the town was situated south of the highway. Public spirit, in the direct work of civic progress, demands that the citizens of Covina pull together for this change in the route of the "good roads." The change is the logical thing to do. The voice of the citizens as a whole should be heard at once on this matter. The Argus believes that the majority will be in favor of this change, for it means a benefit to the city as a whole, and not to a few individuals.

A REPLY TO W. E. BROWN.

The Churches are Failing to Reach the Heart and Mind of our Common Humanity.

To the Editor of the Argus:

In last week's edition of the Argus is a communication from Mr. William E. Brown of the Christian Science Publication Committee, it being an answer to an address by Rev. Sumner T. Martin, pastor of the First Christian Church, Santa Barbara. It has never been my pleasure to hear Dr. Martin, and while I wish to answer Mr. Brown, I do not wish to appear as champion of Dr. Martin, nor of his ideas.

I have for sufficient reason made somewhat of a study of this esoteric philosophy, called Christian Science. I also have several copies of "Science and Health," none of them like any of the others, except in the binding and price. And if I am in this letter able to show that Mr. Brown is not well informed in regard to the teachings of his own religion, I assure you that it is a common condition among all the sect, so far as I have been able to discover.

In an early edition of "Science And Health," I find these words: "The divine spirit testifying through Christian Science unfolded to me the demonstrable fact, that matter possesses neither sensation nor life, that human experiences show the falsity of all material things, and the immortal cravings "price of learning love" establish the truism that the only sufferer is mortal mind, since being in God cannot suffer."

Now, add to this Mrs. Eddy's statement that mortal mind does not exist, and we have the fact that pain does not exist, since only mortal mind can suffer. We also have the repeated statement in Christian Science that "there is no truth in pain."

"Take also th[illegible] statement above, that "human experiences show the falsity of all [illegible]." [illegible]

[illegible] to this point.

"Mind is all, and matter is naught." "Mind is all in all—the only realties are the divine mind and idea." "There is no pain in truth and there is no truth in pain." "Mortal mind is a solecism in language, and involves an unproper use of the mind. As mind is immortal, the phrase 'mortal mind' implies something untrue, and therefore unreal, and as the phrase is used in teaching Christian Science, it is meant to designate something which has no real existence." "The fact that God is all, and therefore matter is nothing beyond an image in mortal mind." I could continue these quotations indefinitely, but wish to spare you the ordeal. If we were all like the average Christian Scientists, and took our information from teachers like Mr. Brown, instead of making personal and independent investigation, this misleading letter of his might easily go unchallenged. Human kind are significantly prone to intellectual laziness. It is this same diffidence to the searching out of truth, which has saddled religious clap-trap of all kinds upon our modern civilization and to my mind the balderdash of Christian Science is to be preferred to the blasphemy of the orthodox Christian belief. I wish to say before I go further that I have the greatest love and reverence for the Son of Man and his teachings, and that as far as I can see the light, I try and follow in His steps. Therefore, nothing that I may say should be held to be an attack upon Him.

He is preeminently the "word-made flesh," and until a better life is lived, a truer expression of the Infinite Mind is impossible. I also believe the Bible to be the word of God. It would be better to drop this point, and to call it what it is in a larger and truer sense, i.e., the "Word of Life." It is just here that all the trouble among religious believers has arisen—the literal acceptance of the words of the book. This of necessity leads to confusion, the injunction against profanity, and the story of Elisha who turned upon the children who reviled him, and "cursed them in the name of Jehovah," are both found in the same book. The parable of the prodigal son, showing how the infinite love of God reaches past all barriers to draw his erring children to him, is not in keeping with the Judaic teaching of Paul concerning vicarious atonement, and the propiation of an angry God. If the teachings of Paul be accepted as being of equal authority with the sermon on the mount, then "the author and finisher of our faith" may have been the author, but he assuredly was not the finisher of our faith. Careful consideration will not fail to point out the fact that Paul never fully divorced himself from his early training. A lawyer today, after spending a few mature years in a law school, will forever after think and speak from a legal bias. We know that this is also true of all professional and college men—that their few years of special training leaves its mark upon their lives, and shapes the very expression of their thought, even in regard to the most trivial affairs. How much more then, a man like Paul, who from his infancy had been trained in the school of the most reactionary Hebrewism?

The orthodox church today, taking as it does the teachings of Paul and other Hebrew teachers as being dictated by God himself, is not readily to be distinguished from the Jewish church. It is, I assert, fundamentally Jewish, and not Christian. I had the pleasure recently of listening to an address by Robert Jones, a very vigorons and clean-minded evangelist, whom the ministers of Covina had secured for a series of revival services. In this address he said in substance, that it was not enjoined upon us to believe on Noah and his ark, or upon Jonah and the whale, to be saved. "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved." Now, I don't believe on Jonah nor on Noah, nor on many another "Noah" or "Jonah" to be found in both the old and the new testament, and in the accepted teachings of the orthodox Christian church. And here is to be found the large troubles in all religious matters. Religion is not a matter of belief; it is a matter of life. It is not important how and why Jesus came into this dreary world—it is important that we have Him, and that we show his spirit. Jesus himself said (John 13th chapter, 34-35), "A new commandment give I unto you, that ye have love one for another."

This, I assert, is the whole substance of Jesus' religion. He might easily have said that men should know His followers by the fact that they [illegible] the Apostles' [illegible]

[illegible] may show toward God and my fellow man, there is no church in Covina which will accept me upon the simple confession of that fact. They have all improved upon the test of the Master. This trouble all arises from the literal acceptance of the written word, the ignoring of essentials for non-essentials, the placing of the letter above the spirit. And what is the result? The churches are holding a precious few loyally to their standards, but the masses who need, who are hungering and thirsting for righteousness, are not being fed. There is more meaning in the sermon on the mount today than there ever was before, and I ween, that folks, just common, every-day folks, are not tired of this teaching. But they care little about "the blood of bulls and of goats and the ashes of an heifer." Nor the brutality and coarseness of a God who demands his pound of flesh like a Shylock in a play. The man who digs your potatoes, makes your bread or who washes your clothes knows God better than that. He meets him in his daily life, and walks with him like Enoch of old, and he knows "that his mercy endureth forever."

Covina has many churches, each with a man whose business it is to serve his fellow-man through his church, but if all our churches were filled each Sunday morning and evening, not one-half of the people of Covina and adjacent territory could be accommodated. Our churches are not so filled. Does this look as though you were reaching the people, brethren? The highways and byways are as full as ever, and as I believe in God, and that he is an ever-present help in all our difficulties, I am sure that if you will gird your loins, walking in the spirit that giveth life, holding fast to the great truths that Jesus taught, laying aside the weight of prejudice and non-essential doctrine, that you will find men ready and anxious to take of the bread of life. Long ago Micah showed the inefficacy of the vicarious propitiation which the church teaches today, and also he declared the essentials of true religion and worship. "Will the Lord be pleased with thousands of rams, or ten thousand rivers of oil? Shall I give my first born for my transgression, the fruit of my body for the sin of my soul?" "He hath showed thee, O man what is good, and what doth the Lord require of thee, but to do justly and to love mercy and to walk humbly with thy God?"

Oh, you preachers! When will you learn that this is the whole substance and goal of the religion you should teach, but do not teach? Paul himself said "That the fruit of the spirit is love, joy, peace, long-suffering, kindness, temperance. Against such there is no law." When you give us more of this, you Presbyterians and Methodists and Christian Scientists and Baptists, and less (or none at all) of mortal mind, devils, and the shedding of blood, you will not fail to reach the heart and mind of our common humanity.

God grant that your eyes may be opened, and that you may see the "light which shineth more and more unto the perfect day."

H. N. WELLS.

Men Entertained.

The entertainment the men of the Methodist Church provided last evening for the monthly "at home" was novel in every respect. The principal amusement was an indoor track meet, in which the women had a chance to show their skill in the broad grin and other exciting contests. After the sports program was run off, the army of chefs in the kitchen dished up very substantial refreshments in the shape of flap jacks and coffee.

Ball Game With Long Beach.

The Covina ball team has accepted the date of July 5th to try conclusions with the Long Beach team on the latter's diamond. This being a national holiday, and the date of a monster celebration at the beach town, a large following is expected to go with the team. The number that have already promised to attend has warranted the chartering of a special through car on the Pacific Electric. The rate will be at least as low as $1.10, and possibly lower.

Millinery.

Fourth of July hats now on sale at Miss Reckard's.

20 per cent off on all hats and flowers.

Sailor hats and outing hats for 50 cents and up.

Children's hats from 25 cents and up.

Don't forget stiff hair [illegible] for [illegible]

[illegible] already made [illegible]

[illegible] served by the ladies [illegible] July [illegible] Citrus and Badillo.

Church News

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH.

Third Sunday after Trinity: Holy communion, 7:30 a.m. Morning prayer, 11 a.m. Rev. Edmund Walters of Los Angeles will officiate. Evensong, 7:30 p.m.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Sunday-school, 9:45. Preaching, 11 a.m. and 7:45 p.m. by Rev. M. H. Perry. In the evening Mr. Perry will preach especially to the young people. B. Y. P. U., 6:45; leader, Mr. Clark. Prayer-meeting, Wednesday evening, 7:45 p.m. All are cordially invited to these services. S. W. Gage, pastor.

PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES.

Sunday-school, 9:45. Preaching by pastor, 11 a.m.; subject, "A Man Sent of God." Junior Endeavor, 3 p.m. Senior and Intermediate Endeavor, 6:45. Gospel service, 7:45; subject, "A Man's Signature." Prayer-meeting Thursday evening, 7:45. Special music. All are cordially invited. Paul G. Stevens, pastor.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Merger service of Sunday-school and church, 10 o'clock. Sermon by pastor, 11; subject, "The Armor of Light." Junior, 3. Intermediate and Senior Endeavor, 6:45. Preaching, 7:45; subject, "Peter Emboldened." Good music. A welcome to all. Aim for morning service: Every member of the church at Sunday-school, and every member of the Sunday-school at church.

Secures Dental License.

Dr. W. W. Schiffman, who has offices in the Argus block, last week passed the examinations of the Dental Board and secured his license to practice in this state. Although an experienced dentist, Dr. Schiffman had to take the examination on coming to this state, which he passed with honors.

Buy your ice cream from the Baptist ladies, corner Citrus and Badillo, July 3.

Small prices, quick sales of fireworks in the old Home Bakery store opposite Horne's grocery. Boys, get your fire crackers of McLeod and get 'em early.

Cook With Gas

You are invited to call at our new office, 236 N. Citrus Avenue, and inspect our line of

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Local Events.

Mrs. J. P. Murphy of San Diego is visiting her friend, Mrs. W. B. Broadwell.

Miss Helen Williams of U. S. C., Los Angeles, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. E. P. Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Nash and Mrs. J. S. Neil were dinner guests Thursday of Mrs. J. H. Coolman.

Mrs. W. H. Smith of Long Beach is visiting Mrs. W. E. Hart of Puente for a week.

Miss Marie Harris of Pomona is visiting her friend, Miss Nita Reynolds.

Saturday is children's souvenir day at Cummings'. Firecrackers with every 10-cent purchase.

Special sale, Thursday, July 1, your choice of trimmed hats for $5.00. A hat box is given with each sale.
1t Mrs. Jennings, Azusa.

Mr. and Mrs. Gahring of Fort Wayne, Ind., spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coolman and other Covina friends.

Mrs. A. P. Kerckhoff left Monday evening for Santa Barbara to attend the wedding of her brother, Mr. Porter.

Mrs. J. H. Groover, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. West, at Agular, Colo., presented her husband with a baby girl, June 17.

Miss Jessie Kistler entertained with a dinner party Sunday; the guests being the Misses Rose Nigg, Leisel Leighton and Bess Given.

The Rev. Harry White, pastor of the Methodist Church, preached on Thursday at Alhambra, where he was formerly pastor.

Mrs. Lister of Kansas City, who has been spending two weeks with Mrs. Alice Leisure, left yesterday for her home.

Take good care of your chrysanthemums and babies. The Monday Afternoon Club is planning for a grand exhibition in the early fall.

Miss Halla Willits, who has graduated from the State Normal, and will teach next year, was a guest for the week end of Miss Jessie Kistler.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Armstrong are week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roberts of Long Beach.

Mrs. Alice Leisure and sons, Hoyt and Glenn, with the former's house guest, Mrs. Lister of Kansas City, were dinner guests Wednesday evening of Mrs. B. L. Reynolds.

A pleasant supper party Wednesday evening at the home of Miss Rose Nigg included as guests the Misses Jessie Kistler, Leisel Leighton and Geraldine Aschenbrenner.

Mrs. Geo. Van Vliet and little son leave today for Fallbrook, San Diego county, where they will spend two weeks with Mrs. Martin (nee Laura Freeman), formerly of Covina.

Among graduates of Pomona College from Covina were Ralph Crook, Harry Doughty and Miss Veta Heath. Friends who attended the exercises were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crook and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Doughty, and Mrs. J. E. Heath.

About sixty gentlemen sat down to the banquet prepared last Tuesday evening for the Christian Men's Club of the Christian Church by the Philathea girls' class. The address was given by Mr. A. C. Smithers of Los Angeles, and Mr. Crabtree acted as toastmaster.

Alonzo D. Whittemore, cousin of W. H. McLeod, was a visitor of the latter this week, having come here from Bakersfield with his bride on a honeymoon trip through Southern California. Mr. Whittemore is superintendent of the Power and Development Company at Bakersfield.

The Ladies' Mission Circle of the Baptist Church gave a social on Tuesday evening. An enjoyable program was given and games formed further amusement. Refreshments were served later in the evening and a silver offering taken. About forty were present.

A reception to members of the Baptist Church was given last evening in honor of Mrs. A. H. Collins, who has so ably filled the position of superintendent of the Sunday-school, and will leave soon for Redlands. Flowers were used abundantly in decoration. An excellent program was rendered. [illegible]

Holy Trinity Church Guild met on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. I. I. Cook.

Miss Leisel Leighton is home for the summer vacation from Pomona College.

Ice cream on July 3. Served by the ladies of the Baptist Church, corner Citrus and Badillo streets.

Prof. and Mrs. Groom will leave on Monday for the Seattle exposition and other northern points.

Saturday is children's souvenir day at Cummings'. Firecrackers with every 10-cent purchase.

Mrs. A. J. Eckles of Redondo is spending the week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Eckles.

Mrs. L. D. Sisson and children of Puente street have left for Los Angeles, where they will reside in future, as they have sold their ranch.

Rev. J. W. Utter of Glendale, formerly pastor of the Covina Christian Church, spent Friday in town with friends.

Mrs. Wesley Hodges and son Lloyd and niece, Rea Crowther of Lordsburg, will leave tonight to spend the summer with relatives in Canada.

Mrs. M. T. Moll, Miss Daniela Moll and Mrs. Monroe McTherron were luncheon guests Tuesday of Mrs. Wm. Warren.

Mrs. L. J. McConnell of South Pasadena gave an address to women at an open meeting Wednesday evening in the Christian Church.

C. M. Burr, proprietor of the Children's Shoe Store, Los Angeles, and his wife were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. N. D. Mussey.

Mr. and Mrs. Vere Goldthwaite, Mr. and Mrs. Ben F. Thorpe and Mrs. Yaw are enjoying a week end house party with Dr. and Mrs. Lewis Thorpe at their beach cottage at Balboa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Griswold, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Prather, Miss Adah Waye and Miss Gertrude Elliott are enjoying a week-end auto trip to Long Beach.

Mr. Jack Fletcher leaves today for Berkeley. His brother will leave on Monday for San Fransisco, and Miss Evelyn Fletcher on Tuesday for Redlands.

Stanton & Harnish, local realty and automobile dealers, have sold their Jackson machine to David P. Bisbee. The firm will have another sent from the factory for their own use.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bell and family of Charter Oak left this morning for Long Beach. Mr. Bell has recently sold his orange grove at Charter Oak. They will make the beach city their home.

Chicken dinner will be served on Saturday, the 3rd, by the ladies of the M. E. Church in Warner & Whitsel's old store building on Citrus avenue. Dinner will be served at 11 o'clock. Price, 35 cents. Ice cream and cake will also be served, 15 cents.

Roy Hutchison and wife left this week to drive to Greenfield, where they will reside on their ranch. They will stay two weeks at Ventura, with the former's brother, John. On Wednesday evening Mrs. George Hutchison entertained with a farewell dinner in their honor.

Robert Philleo and Walter Aschenbrenner leave next week for Cold Brook, in the San Gabriel canyon, where they will furnish music during the summer for the entertainment of guests at this scenic resort. These young men are known as artists on their respective instruments, the violin and piano, and will do a great deal toward popularizing Cold Brook.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ebersole chaperoned a jolly crowd of high school students on a hay ride to Monrovia on last Monday evening. The party included the Misses Bess and Marian Given, Jessie Kistler, Ruby Keefer, Della Harnish, May Allison, Edith Waterhouse, Sarah Crook; Messrs. Walter Hepner, Sam Allison, Lloyd Taylor, Paul Custer, Wallace Reed, Tom Reed, Irven Reynolds, Tom Finch, Grant Chapman, Paul Riggins. Lunch was served under a spreading oak, followed by refreshments of ice cream at Azusa.

A porch party, with many enjoyable features, was given by Miss Florence McLeod at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Van Vliet Saturday afternoon, at which a dozen girls made merry at five hundred. Fruit punch and other delectable things were served. The affair was in the nature of a farewell party, as Miss McLeod goes for the summer to her old home in [illegible]

OUR AGENTS:

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Buy your ice cream from the Baptist ladies, corner Citrus and Badillo, July 3.

Miss Amanda Flora spent the first of the week in Los Angeles, the guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Brubaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ogle and children of Pasadena were guests of Mrs. Ogle's brother, Mr. Wm. Overholtzer, and family, on last Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. FitzGerald, wife of the proprietor of Hotel Vendome, has returned from the East, after a protracted stay with relatives. While in the East Mrs. FitzGerald was very ill, but is now improving rapidly.

Mrs. G. R. Armstrong of Fillmore and her sister, Mrs. W. C. Viner of Fullerton, have taken possession of their new ranch home, which they bought of Major G. H. Campbell. Major Campbell left yesterday for the East. Mr. Armstrong will arrive after the first of the month.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ebersole entertained about twenty of the young married people of the Brethren Church on last Tuesday evening. The time was spent in conversation and games. Light refreshments were served.

FOR SALE

For Rent, Exchange, Lost, Found Miscellaneous.

FitzGerald & Barry of Pasadena loan money on ranches and improved real estate at lowest current rates. Write or telephone them at Pasadena or call up J. W. Prentiss, Covina phone 2134, and ask to have a representative of the firm call on you. tf

Armstrong's Covina Nurseries have procured 2500 Valencia and navel orange trees, first class stock. Any-one wishing to buy same should call 125 for further information.

Mrs. Ida Rittenhouse, room 6, First National Bank Bldg. First class dress making at reasonable prices. tf

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Covina Realty Company Sale.

The Covina Realty Company sold the Geo. Semler grove of eight acres this week to Mr. F. B. Maxwell of New Orleans. The grove is situated on Lark Ellen street, and is bought by the newcomer for a home. Consideration was $13,000.

Bargain Sale on Each Day of July.

Your choice of articles for $1.00, including untrimmed shapes, flowers, foliage, sailors, trimmed hats for children, veils, lace, etc.
7-3 Mrs. Jennings, milliner, Azusa.

Boys, Boys, Boys—Special sale of all kinds of fireworks all this week at McLeod's place in the old store of Home Bakery. Get your fireworks early.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

First National Bank of Covina

AT COVINA

in the State of California, at the close of business, June 23, 1909.

(Charter No. 5830)

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$237,684.96
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,742.91
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		25,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		255.00
Bonds, securities, etc		17,980.00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		21,314.59
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)		2,296.02
Due from approved reserve agents		103,338.12
Checks and other cash items		195.93
Notes of other National Banks		575.00
Fractional paper currency, nickels, cents		185.32
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank, viz:		
Specie	17,883.14	
Legal-tender notes	1,390.00	19,273.14
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer 5 per cent of circulation		1250.00
Total		431,099.99

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock paid in	$ 50,000.00
Surplus fund	30,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	20,251.23
National Bank notes outstanding	25,000.00
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	16,930.06
Individual deposits subject to check	286,324.70
Demand certificates of deposit	365.00
Cashier's checks outstanding	2,220.00
Total	431,090.99

State of California County of Los Angeles, ss:
I, W. M. Griswold, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. M. GRISWOLD, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
C. F. Clapp, Geo. E. Anderson, J. O. Houser } Directors

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24th day of June 1909. E. P. Warner, Notary Public.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

Covina National Bank

AT COVINA

in the State of California, at the close of business, June 23, 1909.

(Charter No. 8222)

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts		$92,703.04
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		61.40
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		50,000.00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		1118.75
Bonds, securities, etc		43,309.23
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		5,533.57
Due from approved reserve agents		40,278.87
Checks and other cash items		11.70
Fractional paper currency, nickels, cents		63.84
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	6,953.00	6,953.00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5% of circulation)		2,500.00
Total		242,534.40

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$50,000.00
Surplus fund	2816.62
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	3760.32
National bank notes outstanding	48,050.00
Individual deposits subject to check	79,022.86
Demand certificates of deposit	42,178.05
Time certificates of deposit	16,706.55
Total	242,534.40

State of California, County of Los Angeles, ss.
I, V. O. English, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. V. O. ENGLISH, Cashier.

Correct—Attest:
J. L. Matthews, J. D. Reed, R. C. Pollard } Directors

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of June, 1909. John C. Hutchinson, Notary Public.

Take Good Care of What You Spend Your Life to Earn

The man who labors six days in the week for a living, should make an effort to save a part of his earnings for that time in the future when Age shall reduce his earning capacity.

The man with a bank account is in a position to do this for this plan of setting aside a regular amount each month or week from the salary, is the ideal method of saving money.

Your deposit will be welcomed at this bank—we will help you save.

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LIVE NEWS FROM VALLEY POINTS

IRWINDALE.

Mary Casad, the small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Casad, is improving from the severe illness which confined her to the house last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Heath, Jesse Heath and Mrs. L. M. Swallow attended the graduating exercises of Miss Veta Heath at Pomona College this week.

E. E. Harris has been in Glendora this week harvesting the large potato crop which he has there.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker and Mrs. T. P. Seymour of Monrovia visited Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller the first of the week.

Mrs. B. F. Thorpe entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of her husband's birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Thorpe, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thorpe and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Andrews of Los Angeles.

Mr Charles Grafton and Miss Cora Grafton were guests at the home of Mr. Harry Freyermuth of Pomona on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Pendleton and children of Los Angeles visited relatives and friends in this neighborhood on Sunday.

Russell Elledge of Artesia has been visiting at the home of his brother, Tony Elledge, of Orange avenue.

Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Harolson were Mrs. Belle Rapson of Los Angeles and Mrs. N. F. Hoffpauir and children of Sierra Madre.

Last Saturday Miss Anna Sprotte returned to the Good Samaritan Hospital of Los Angeles to resume the course of training which was interrupted by her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Lunn are in Tropico this week at the home of their daughter, Mrs. H. H. Davenport.

Miss Julia Ziggler, a tourist from Missouri, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Keilar of Cypress avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thorpe of Los Angeles will spend the summer at "Orangethorpe," the home of Dr. and Mrs. Lewis Thorpe.

Rev. L. A. Clark and sons, Willie and Hobart, left Tuesday for a ten days' stay at Redondo Beach.

Bert Labatt, who has been keeping batchelor's hall at his residence on San Bernardino road and Orange avenue since the death of his parents, has moved to the home of his sister, Mrs. Burner, of Covina.

The Misses Aloha and Romona Washburn of South Pasadena are spending several weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Coffman.

Mr. and Mrs. Vere Goldthwaite were guests recently of the latter's sister, Mrs. Nettie Yaw, of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Baldosser and son spent Sunday at Urbita Springs, near San Bernardino.

The three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Neale Morrow has been quite ill this week.

Earl Philleo leaves in a few days for Cold Brook Camp to spend his vacation. He will be employed by Photographer Gray of Azusa, who makes a specialty of securing views of beautiful mountain scenery.

Miss Madaline Crabtree of Pasadena is spending the summer at the home of her brother, R. R. Crabtree.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Baughman and little daughter Mildred of Los Angeles were guests of Mrs. J. M. Crane on Sunday.

Miss Virginia Root of Orange avenue leaves next week to spend her vacation visiting relatives at Oakland and San Francisco.

Mrs. Daniel Reichard spent several days in Claremont this week attending the commencement exercises of the college.

Solon Rhodes, manager of the electrical powerhouse at Arlington, Riverside county, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Rhodes.

Miss Mary Elledge is making a two weeks' visit with her aunt, Mrs. Simmons, of Pasadena.

About forty residents of San Bernardino road and vicinity met last Friday night at the home of Mrs. G. J. Reynolds to discuss plans for opposing the action which is being made to have the right of way for the new automobile boulevard changed from San Bernardino road to Puente street. F. C. Devendorf was appointed chairman, Jerome Reynolds secretary, and B. Miller treasurer of the meeting. More definite plans will be perfected at a meeting held tonight at the Reynolds' home.

Demain Oak returned recently from a short stay at Colton.

The teachers appointed to teach at Lower Azusa school during the next year are: Principal, Miss Leona Browning of Los Angeles; intermediate grades, Miss Nellie Haddock of Los Angeles; primary grades, Miss Bertha Dorsey of Azusa. Miss Browning takes the place vacated by Miss Lura Manning, who has held the principalship of Lower Azusa and Center schools for many years.

Miss Margaret Brandt of Covina will teach at Center school, succeeding Miss Bessie Leebrick, who was the teacher last year.

George Semler sold this week to Mr. Maxfield of New Orleans eight acres of bearing orange grove on Lark Ellen street. The place is improved with a five-roomed cottage. Mr. Semler received $13,000 for the property. The new owner will reside upon the place, taking possession in about two months.

Mr. Gerald Waterhouse of Pasadena attended the graduating exercises of Covina High School last Friday evening, his sister, Miss Edith Waterhouse, being among the graduates.

Mr. and Mrs. Hicks and children of Los Angeles spent the week with the former's sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Hicks.

I. H. Simpson is driving a Stevens-Duryea touring car, which he purchased last week.

Mrs. Reitz and two children of Pasadena visited Mrs. Clara Ayers the latter part of last week.

Bert Rogers sold last week to H. E. and S. W. Lougheed of Double avenue, eighteen acres of land set to young walnut trees. The property is located on West Arroyo Drive and was formerly the site of the Fickle-wirth ranch buildings. Mr. Rogers received $400 per acre.

Sunday guests att he home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Root were: J. M. Ferrel and little son of Los Angeles, Chas. Root of Yuma and W. S. Root of Pasadena.

WALNUT CENTER

Mrs. F. J. Stimson was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ware of Ocean Park.

Miss Marian Haley of Puente road is enjoying a visit from Miss Edna Kraft of Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Brewster made a trip through the Santa Ana valley by automobile on Sunday.

Mrs. S. L. Watts visited with her mother, Mrs. Wilbur of Compton, over the week end.

Mr. G. F. Stevens and family made a trial trip in their new automobile Sunday, visiting friends in Uplands.

Miss Hallie Willits, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Willitts of this place, was one of the graduates of the Los Angeles Normal last week. At the opening of the fall term, Miss Willitts will have charge of the Temple school, south of Monte.

Mrs. William Harper accompanied her two little daughters to Long Beach Sunday. The little girls will spend two weeks visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Harper, Sr.

BALDWIN PARK

H. H. Ames left this week for Santa Maria, where he will join Mrs. Ames. They will spend their vacation at Santa Maria visiting friends.

Miss Jessie Pratt of Los Angeles spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Pratt of Clark street.

C. L. Power, who has been ill in Los Angeles for many weeks, returned to his home here this week entirely recovered in health.

Mrs. C. O. Mershon returned the first of the week from Los Angeles where she had been visiting friends for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hutcheroff of Bassett spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Stevenson.

Rev. Gribble of Los Angeles will give a temperance address at the schoolhouse Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Donald Rogers of Los Angeles visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angel, over the week end.

Mrs. Henry Davis spent this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Baker of Glendale.

Dr. and Mrs. Deitrich are entertaining Mrs. Van Lue of Los Angeles.

W. H. Townsend recently added to the improvements which he has been making on his property on Los Angeles street by purchasing a splendid new team and carriage.

Mr. Perkins of Los Angeles recently moved to his Baldwin Park property.

PUENTE.

H. A. Unrah, executor, and Mr. Fairchild and G. Barnum, appraisers of the Baldwin estate, were in town the first of the week. Surveyors are now at work subdividing the Baldwin ranch in preparation to putting it on the market.

Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Bohrt returned this week from Santa Barbara where they have been on their wedding trip.

Mrs. James Stone was called to Cincinnati, Ohio, this week by the death of her aunt.

The monthly Sunday-school social was held Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morris. A large party of Puente people made the trip to the Morris home in a hay wagon. The usual social time, with games and refreshments, was enjoyed.

Mrs. Isaac McInnis is the guest of Judge and Mrs. Bicknel of Los Angeles this week.

On Sunday the newly organized baseball teams played a game which resulted in the defeat of the Puente nine by the Baldwin ranch hay balers by a score of 11 to 4.

Wolfe & Son, commission firm of Los Angeles, shipped three carloads of potatoes which they purchased from W. E. Newton this week.

Mrs. W. E. Hart of Puente entertained Thursday the Ladies' Afternoon Club. Games were played and a jolly afternoon was spent, after which a dainty luncheon was served, consisting of ice cream and cakes and coffee. The ladies left at a late hour for their homes. Those present were: Mrs. John Frank, Mrs. E. G. Brockman, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Fickleworth, Miss Hart, Miss Berry, and the Misses Fickleworth. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Mrs. E. G. Brockman, Thursday, July 1, 1909.

Sacred Concert.

Following is the program for a sacred concert to be rendered at the M. E. Church, Sunday evening, June 27:

Voluntary, Sunday-school orchestra.

Hymn, "How Firm a Foundation" (Keithe).

Scripture lesson.

Cornet duet, "I Would That My Love" (Mendelssohn), Mr. Ed Walters, Mr. Glenn Leisure.

Prayer.

Song, "The Rescue" (Phillips), Miss Devendorf.

Violin solo, "Salut D' Amour" (Elger), R. W. Groom.

Anthem, "Rend Your Heart" (Roberts), choir.

Saxophone duet, "Dream of the Shepherdess," Mr. Wallace Reed, Mr. Walter Hepner.

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Guy C. Benham, plaintiff, against Annie Benham, defendant.

The people of the State of California send greetings to Annie Benham, defendant: You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the Court for any relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, this18th day of Feb., A. D., 1908.

C. G. KEYES, Clerk.
(Seal) By C. O. Winters,
7-31 Deputy Clerk

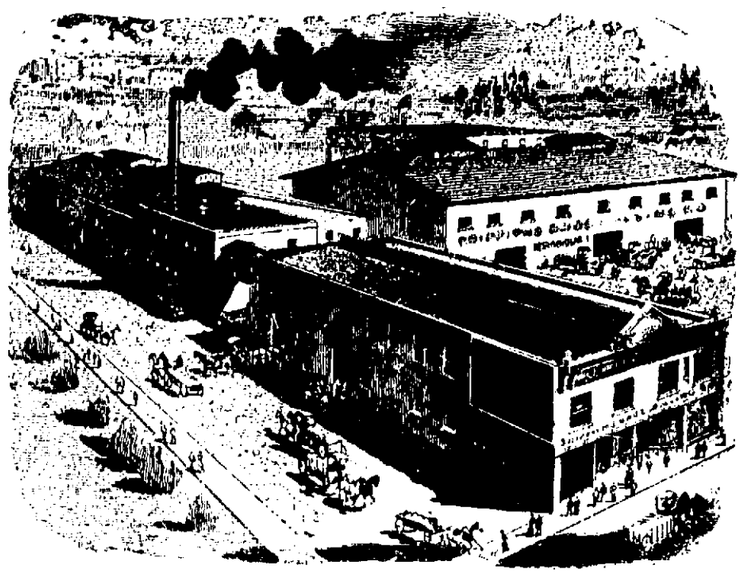
Assessment Notice.

Covina Irrigating Company, principal place of business, Covina, Rowland Township, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the directors, held on the second day of June, 1909, an assessment, (No. 48) of 75 cents per share was levied upon the capital stock (as increased October 22nd, 1886) of the above named corporation, payable immediately to the secretary at the office of the company at Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 6th day of July, 1909, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 28th day of July, 1909, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, at the office of the company in Covina, County of Los Angeles, State of California, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

B. F. EDWARDS, Secretary.
Covina, Cal., June 2, 1909.



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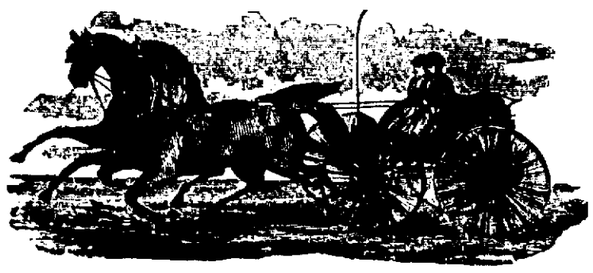

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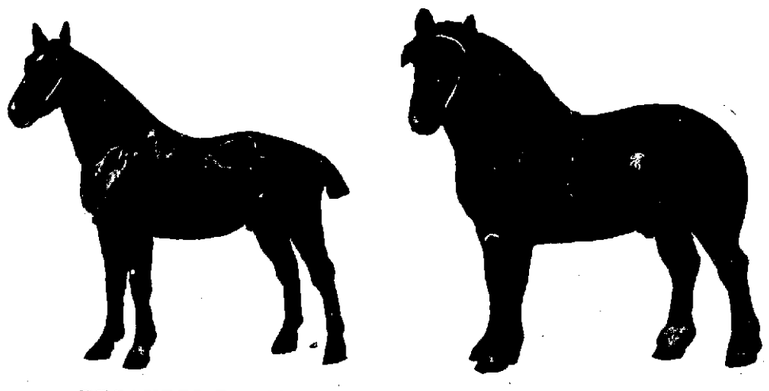

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COVINA LOSES BALL GAME.

Teddy Bears of Los Angeles Score Heavily in Loosely Played Game.

Covina, 11; Teddy Bears, 14.

By these figures it would seem that some kind of a contest might have taken place, and that Covina got the worst of it. The contest in question was a baseball game on the diamond south of town last Sunday afternoon, between the local team and the Los Angeles Teddy Bears, that formerly appeared here as the Sunbright Babes.

It is really necessary to make a few concise statements to the effect that there was a game of some kind, for it would be a problem for the uninitiated onlooker to know whether he was watching a stage holdup or a thug meeting. Sunday baseball is not an edifying thing in itself, and to mix rowdyism into the combination is geting on the level with the Spanish bull fights. The visiting team made numerous complaints in regard to the decisions of the umpire. Whether they were just or not, is not the point under discussion, but they certainly did lead to a lot of unpleasantness, and it is up to the management to see that future games will be conducted properly, and that there will be no more yeggmen tactics in evidence.

The game was a disgrace to the great national sport. Both teams played like a lot of boneheads, with Covina long on the honors. Russell on slab duty for the home organization was the whole thing. By clever work in the early innings he had the visitors in a hole, and the rate at which the bunch was clouting the ball around the lot was enough to win a dozen games. After this the seive work of the infield was the noticeable feature. Church played a fierce game at short, making three errors and never accepting a chance. Stewart covered his position miserably, and King at third base managed to get one across to first for an assist. Montague and Aguayo missed some easy ones in the field, and in several cases squeezed the ball for a short session after stopping it, while the runner was romping home.

The four runs that fell to Covina in the second and third innings were earned. In the second, Russell singled, stole second, and scored on Montague's hit through second. Then three more came in the third, and the visitors were lucky that it was not as many more. Doc and Stewart singled, and when Forney came up to get a triple, he slammed at three of Schultz's wide ones and retired. Russell drew a hit that put Doc across the rubber, and Montague whaled out a slashing double, scoring two. Kendall was safe on a fielder's choice and Church walked, making the bases full. King bounced one to short, forcing Monte at the plate, and Pete made the third out by fanning.

The Teddy Bears drew blanks in the first three innings, being unable to solve Russell's delivery. In the third, one hit was good for a run. But the fourth session was the beginning of the end. Monte let one go right through him, that resulted in a run, and when Church got an easy one at short, and threw to Stewart to make a forceout, the second baseman made a bungle of it. Schultz hit to left, and Pete held it long enough for Pedrotti to score from third. Errors helped things along for the Bears in the next two innings, but in the seventh and eighth frames no less than nine runs dropped off three hits. One of these happened to be of the home run variety, and coming from Pedrotti's husky stick, scored Ferraris and Rogerson, who were already on the paths.

Covina was able to get seven themselves in the final rounds, but the mischief had been done. Seven hits were made by the home boys in the eighth, and it was Forney's questionable slide to second that started the riot. After law and order had been restored, the Covina infield continued the comedy with no sign of letting up in the miscue division.

It was a heart-breaking game for Pitcher Russell. After twirling a winning game and hitting four times out of five times up, it was more than discouraging to watch the gum shoe tactics of his team mates. About the only features of the game were two assists by the same man. One was a clever throw to the plate and the other was a difficult scoop and putout at first.

Score:

COVINA

	AB	R	H	SB	PO	A	E
Aguayo, lf	6	2	2	1	0	0	1
Fairly, rf	6	3	3	0	1	0	0
Stewart, 2b	6	2	2	0	4	2	1
Forney, 1b	5	1	1	0	0	1	1
Russell, p	5	2	4	1	2	5	1
Montague, cf	5	0	2	0	0	1	1
Kendall, c	4	0	2	1	10	1	0
Church, ss	4	0	0	1	1	0	3
King, 3b	3	1	1	0	2	1	1
Totals	44	11	21	4	27	11	9

TEDDY BEARS

	AB	R	H	SB	PO	A	E
Cowan, ss	6	0	1	0	0	4	2
McKeen, c	5	3	2	0	8	2	0
Mack, 2b	5	2	0	1	7	3	0
Ferraris, 1b	4	3	2	1	7	0	0
Rogerson, 3b	5	3	3	0	2	1	0
Pedrotti, lf	5	3	3	0	2	0	0
Galter, cf	3	1	1	0	0	0	0
Derania, rf	5	0	0	0	1	0	0
Shultz, p	5	0	2	0	0	4	0
Enright, cf	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	45	14	12	2	27	14	4

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total
Covina	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	5	2	11
Base Hits	2	2	5	1	0	0	1	7	3	21
Teddy B's	0	0	1	2	1	1	4	5	0	14
Base Hits	0	2	1	3	1	2	4	5	0	12

SUMMARY.

Home run—Pedrotti. Two-base hits—Montague, Forney, Fairly, S. Ferraris, Rogerson. First base on errors—Teddy Bears, 9; Covina 3. Left on bases—Teddy Bears, 2; Covina, 3. Bases on balls—off Shultz, 5; Russell, 1; Struck out—by Schultz, 6; Russell, 8. Double plays—Stewart to Forney; Mack to Ferraris. Passed balls—Kendall, 1; Shultz, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Teddy Bears, 2; Covina, 0. Time of game—4 hours. Umpire—Goodrich. Scorer, Winder.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL PICNICS.

Baptist, Methodist, Presbyterian and Christian Scholars Enjoy Outings.

Sunday-school picnics are among the most important events of the week, as the churches are hastening to have these happy reunions before the children are scattered to the mountains and beaches.

The Baptist Church led the van with a large and happy crowd who enjoyed themselves two weeks ago at Ganesha Park, Pomona.

Last Saturday the Methodist Church Sunday-school, many adults being included, to the number of one hundred and fifty, left bright and early for the same popular resort. A hay wagon took many and the others went by auto, train, or driving. The automobiles were in commission to take everyone to the hill-top, where a magnificent view of the surrounding valley was obtained. The fountain played at 3:30 o'clock for half an hour.

The Presbyterian Church Sunday-school also enjoyed a trip to Ganesha Park, by train, tallyho, and auto, last Thursday, over seventy scholars being present. Included among the pleasant events of the day was the consumption of a bountiful luncheon, with hot tea and coffee. Before starting home at 5 p. m., ice cream was served.

The Christian Church Sunday-school enjoyed a picnic in Roberts' canyon, which will be reported next week.

Don't fail to attend the sacred concert at the M. E. Church Sunday evening, under the direction of Prof. R. W. Groom.

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Suggestive Questions on the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott for the International Newspaper Bible Study Club.

June 27th, 1909.

Temperance lesson. Rom. xiii:8-14.

Golden Text—Put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ.—Rom xiii:14.

Verse 8—Is it always sinful to go into debt, when you have no visable means of paying it?

Is it right, or wrong, to go into debt when you have nothing to pay with if your creditor knows your circumstances?

Is a business man who has honestly failed in business and given up all he has to his creditors, under moral obligation to pay the balance of the debt, if he makes enough money to do so out of future business?

Under modern business conditions, and the law of love and righteousness, when wholesalers sell on time, or give an adequate discount for cash to retailers, why are not the debts of an honest bankrupt retailer, the legitimate loss of his creditors in common with himself?

Wherein consists the foliy and sin of a wage-earner in constant work, getting into debt?

Is it the duty of everyone to love everybody, the bad and the good, enemies and friends?

What is the advantage of loving everybody, to ourselves, and to those whom we love?

Verses 9-10—Give reasons, outside of the Bible, that will cover all circumstances, why it is always wrong to disobey these moral prohibitions.

Must all such acts, as are here forbidden, contravene the law of love to make them sinful; for example, if you had to kill a man who was about to kill one of your loved ones, would that be sinful?

Can an act be wrong that works out for the good of all parties?

Verses 1-12—If you knew you had to die inside of a month, what effect would that have upon your intentions and actions, so far as God is concerned; and if it would change these in the least, does that not prove that you are now living wrong and are in danger?

Most people are morally and spiritually asleep; and many are far into the night; what are the conditions which should suddenly startle such into full consciousness, as to their danger, and their duty?

Verse 13—How is it that the night is the time selected for so many bad deeds?

Should a man ever do a thing which he is ashamed for his best friends and neighbors to know?

Does the popular conscience generally, or always represent God's attitude to a thing; or are there some things God may be pleased with which the community would condemn as wrong, or vice versa?

How is it that bar rooms are generally screened off from the public gaze?

Why is it a crime for a man to get drunk?

Why do most drunkards get drunk in the night, or away from public gaze?

Does the drink habit generally lead to the other four grave evils mentioned in verse thirteen?

Verse 14—What is the sure remedy for the drink habit, and all kindred evils of the flesh?

Does putting on Jesus, always mean putting on strength, so we can control al the passons of the body, and the ambitions of the soul?

Lesson for Sunday, July 4, 1969. Paul's Second Missionary Journey—Antioch to Phillippi. Acts xv:36 to xvi:15.

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Billy and Topsy, the two piebald canyon ponies in the Rincon stables at the canyon's mouth, swelled up their bellies as the stablemen tugged at the cinches, girding up their loins, so to speak, for the familiar trail from Azusa to the mountain fastnesses. Topsy is a matronly broncho whose journeys to and from Camp Rincon are written down in this humble tale for the first time, though her little pink nose and white hoofs have felt cautiously for the rocky ford bottoms in many summers. Her only real care is Billy, her gentle son whom she has trained to literally walk in her footsteps along the trails she knows so well. Not that Billy is much of a care either, for he has learned his lesson through faithful trust in his mother, but Topsy feels that her son has not quite reached up to her mature powers of discrimination as yet. So with Topsy leading in gentle canter, the white road was left at the point where the San Gabriel river sprawls into the arms of the waiting, thirsty valley, and the journey began between flanking mountain-heads. Behind were the countless acres of oranges, somnolent in the June sunlight. In the faces of the pilgrims was the canyon breeze, cooled by the tumbling waters of this long gash in the mountain range. On either side the piles of Nature's original masonery seem to march on in panorama like twin battalions. The trail felt by the ponies' feet dips down to a crossing of the river and the spray moistens the boot in the stirrup. Behind, the six-horse stage, loaded with men and women fugitives from the heat of the cities, swings around a bluff, the driver's lash sending out staccato pistol shots, exciting the tree squirrels to vain scolding. Up the trail to Sharp's flats, the ponies make their way, sure-footed, needing no rein nor encouragement of the quirt, while at the river's edge a fisherman whips the stream with a scant nod for the passing pleasure-seekers. A placer miner, bent above his cradle gives greeting to the travelers, and on the bluffs above, his tent shines out white against the background of bluish sage and shadowy chapparral. Thus is the journey begun into the San Gabriel canyon of ever-changing scenery.

Camp Rincon lies nine miles up the river in a natural amphitheater, its floor and sides studded with giant live oaks. One must necessarily reflect a little on the passage of time when confronted by the bole of a live oak six feet in diameter, usurping a quarter of an acre of mountain mold, a monarch in its own right long before man looked upon the country and called it good. Thousands of these trees roof the Rincon camp and carpet it with the dead foliage of a season gone, and nestling among the trees are the rows of canvas tents with their trim redwood floors and stanchions, set against the mountainside and facing the opposite hills. A few years ago this cup-shaped glen had but a small hotel and a few campers scattered on the hillsides. Now the flag flies above the dancing pavilion, where festivity goes on in the quiet way which this resort has decreed, the dining room seats easily a hundred guests and every comfort surrounds the sojourner, shut away from the cares of mid-summer business. Manager Briggs has built his camp in the style of a big family. Few mountain camps escape the inconveniences as easily as does Camp Rincon for Manager Briggs is a caterer to the desires of his people for rest, for pleasure, for sport, for fine, wholesome fare and for health, above all the last named, and for this reason the people who look to him for their daily direction in comfort are of all temperaments, the sportsman, book-lover, the young and the old, all of whom become young after a few days beneath his hospitable roof-tree.

With Topsy and Billy in the hands of the hostler, the seekers after mountain life followed their host to the great plunge-pool and the dressing rooms, where suits were provided and the stains of travel removed in one leap from the spring-board. The spring water comes down the mountainside and enters the pool, where it spreads and warms in the sun. The vigor of this plunge in mountain water is beyond belief, and after the glow of rejuvenated body has reached its heighth, a quick run to the shower bath and dressing rooms completes the initiation to Camp Rincon in the amphitheatre beneath the live oaks.

Manager Briggs stalks ahead of the newcomers, halting them before the groups of people gathered in the rustic seats, and swings, introducing right and left. Many in high places in the business of Los Angeles county are in his care. Names might be given here which would make a list like the register of a fashionable business man's club or the membership list of a woman's federation—names might be mentioned, but these ladies are not gathered in this place for mention, but for rest and recreation, and the world of business and fame is forgotten. If urgent business calls one of them, the telephone is employed, for the camp has service of this kind, but the campers discourage their friends from disturbing them in their retreat into the wild. Manager Briggs has evolved a system for entertaining which gives perfect freedom. The people come to him often to be cared for absolutely in every detail of comfort, and he is ready to respond, as he maintains a general store in these mountains like unto those of the olden days. Families may come and take one of his tents and provide for themselves, or they may be fed at the big dining pavilion. It is a constant surprise to the camper to find this marvelous amphitheater in the heart of the mountains, and at the same time be also encompassed by so many of the comforts of the life of civilization—the shower baths and the plunge, the sanitary house tents with spring beds and accompanying comforts, the spacious assembly room with card tables and library, the general store where the needs of man and woman have all been anticipated, and best of all the screened-in dining hall with its snowy napery, food in courses and quiet, efficient service.

Here, at Camp Rincon, the fishermen gather, and at sunrise fare forth along the streams. Until November the river will continue to give up its wealth of shining trout. There is no other stream or canyon in the county that possesses the possibilities of fishing as does the San Gabriel canyon. The trout being caught at present are from six to nine inches in length, quite a few in the recent catches running somewhat longer and heavier, and the "limit" of a day's catch, which is fifty, is often reached by the trout anglers. Right here we will depart from the rule of secrecy in names and speak of the prowess of the gallant Heartt—he who has fished the San Gabriel canyon many summers in succession and dwelt in the Rincon amphitheater. Heartt and Manager Briggs sometimes rehearse the sport of the day when gloaming shuts in the valley and the orchestra starts the whirl of the dancers in the pavilion.

"Caught my fifty all out of one pool the first thing this morning," states Briggs complacently. "Heavy fellows too best I've done this season."

"That's pot hunting," responds Heartt, eying his friend with disapproval and speaking with the frankness which friendship brings. "That's nothing but pot-hunting, Briggs. I'm a riffle fisherman—catch all my fish in the riffles when they're out feeding. That's when they fight." And the word sparring becomes general among the assembled sportsmen.

And County Treasurer John Hunt has found it well to follow in the foot steps of the veteran fisherman Heartt and says that fish congregate around his companion, even as chickens follow the farmer's wife who showers grain from her apron. Judge W. L. Williams of Los Angeles jurisprudence has entered into the life of the camp of late, and recently dropped his rod and line to join the fire-fighters on the mountainside, working like any paid ranger in the interests of the national forest, for the San Gabriel canyon belongs to the people, under the protection of Uncle Sam's forestry laws. But enough for the present of Camp Rincon.

Mounting the ponies at Camp Rincon gate, the horsemen may go on further up what is known as the North Fork, following Cold Brook to its inception at the base of Mount Islip, or up the East Fork to R. M. Follows' camp on the bench above the deep gash of the river. Each camp is separate and apart in its advantages. Since the past season, Mr. Follows has bought the Mountain View camp, owned last year by Hayes Potter, and has fitted it up to run in conjunction with his original camp further up the stream. Follows is a typical host. The duties of host sit upon him as a mantle—he is the right man in the right place. With his big dining room filled with guests at one long table stretching adown the middle, Follows stands at the head with carving knife and tools of his masterly trade. His assistants take the orders and the with trout and with the finest of meats from the Los Angeles markets, the cream of the vegetables to be procured, and the guests eat and talk and laugh like a big, happy family. The camp is made up of rows of tents beneath shady fruit trees and mountain alders. His big dancing pavilion and dining room face the river upon the bluffs. As is the case with Camp Rincon and with Cold Brook camp, the big four-horse stage makes daily trips between Azusa and the different points, transferring parties of fishermen and campers, and his stables furnish the would-be denizen of the woods with fine mountain saddle horses if one cares to be transferred in this manner. Follows is deservedly popular among sportsmen of the best classes. His success with the famous Sunset Club of Los Angeles, a club which he entertained this week at his Mountain View resort, is a good criterion of his popularity. Forty members, doctors, lawyers, newspapermen and men from every walk in life partook of his hospitality, fished the streams and voted Follows the best fellow of them all. The host on this occasion turned over his culinary department to Al Levy, proprietor of Levy's cafe, and this celebrated epicure superintended the "eats" for the Los Angeles sojourners. One may ride up this fork from Follows to the base of "Old Baldy" and over the mountain trail to the Mojave desert, through the wildest of scenery.

On the north fork, in the very heart of the Sierra Madre mountains, eighteen miles from Azusa, is R. W. Dawson's camp on Cold Brook. No person who has ever entered the canyon and has not been up the north fork can possibly know anything of the wonderful beauty that is encountered at every turn of this trail. Cold Brook comes tumbling down a grade that is twenty per cent to the mile, surging against giant boulders, wrestling with the tortuous riverbed, at all times running beneath a canopy of alders, beech, bay and oak trees. In places the trail follows the bed of the river through canyons bored out of the solid rock and at other times the traveler looks down at the stream from a heighth of over a thousand feet. Dawson's Cold Brook camp lies in a natural delta at the river's edge in a grove of white-trunked alders. This beautiful tree is found in this section in great profusion. Cold Brook possesses the finest fishing in the canyon, and it is this sport that the camp attends to strictly. Mr. Dawson has built a fine hotel with large and airy diningroom, and has scattered his tents through the alders and oaks. A set of three tents nestles beneath one gigantic oak whose bole is over six feet in diameter. It is at the rear of this camp that the signs of the great cloudburst of 1891 may be seen in a mass of tumbled rock and debris.

The stage to Cold Brook camp brings the passenger to the hotel in the latter part of the afternoon, and if the new arrival so desires he can catch his first mess of trout within hailing distance of the hotel steps. Dawson's tents are a triumph in the matter of comfort, designed in the best possible way to make for the best convenience of the camper. Professional men from all parts of the country are congregated there. Among the well known men who make up the work of getting out the metropolitan papers is Swinnerton, the cartoonist for the Hearst papers. His tent at Cold Brook overhangs the rushing water, and he alternates fishing with his work with the pencil and with painting the scenery as it appeals to him from the top of Mount Islip.

More about Mount Islip, the highest mountain in the Sierra Madre range of the trail leading to its top from Cold Brook camp, Crystal lake of seventy acres at its peak, and a description of Triple and Anthem falls, as beautiful as the falls of the Yosemite, will appear in an article in next week's Argus.

ORATORICAL WINNERS.

Two Former Covina Girls Capture First Prizes at U. S. C. Contest.

At the woman's annual oratorical contest of the U. S. C., which took place June 7, prizes were won as follows: First prize, ($25), Miss Alma Swain, formerly of Covina; second prize, ($15), Miss Helen Williams, also formerly of Covina and niece of Mrs. E. P. Warner; third prize, Miss Diana McNeill of Liberia, Africa, the daughter of a Christian negro chieftain and adopted daughter of Bishop Taylor. Miss Swain obtained first place on delivery and Miss Williams on composition and thought, there being only two points between.

The subjects were:

1. Alien or American.
2. The City's Duty in Helping Its Poor.
3. The Path of Freedom.

Resolutions.

Whereas, the Heavenly Father has called one of our much loved and thoroughly conscientious members, Mrs. Charlotte A. Fletcher, from our club, be it

Resolved, we, the members of the Monday Afternoon Club of Covina, do sincerely mourn her loss and lovingly cherish her memory. Be it further

Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be printed in the Argus, and another copy be given to Rev. Alfred Fletcher and family.

Anna M. Herron,
Rosa C. Clarke,
Ava K. Griswold.

Alumni Reunion.

The Covina High School alumni reunion was held Saturday evening at Mrs. I. I. Cook's home. There was a large attendance, many old members from out of town being present. A most enjoyable evening was spent in games and dancing. Light refreshments of cake and ice cream were served. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mr. Walter Hepner, president; Miss Jessie Kistler, vice-president; Miss Marian Given, secretary; Miss Iva Funk, treasurer; and Miss Rose Nigg, historian.

Rush-Abbey.

James Rush and Miss Edna Abbey were married one week ago Wednesday and have now taken up their residence permanently in Covina. Mr. Rush is well known here, and is at present engaged in running a hay baling crew. The marriage was kept secret for a time in order to escape the well-meaning fun of friends, but the matter leaked out this week, and the bride and groom have been receiving many congratulations.

Machine Works Well.

The spike disc road machine, which tears up and levels the oil roadway, has proved to be a success in repairing Covina roads. Street Superintendent Mehnert has been at work this week fixing Citrus avenue. The new machine does the work rapidly and efficiently. Quite a little repair work has been laid out by the street department to be done during the summer months.

Alumni Lose Ball Game.

If there is one thing more than another that the alumni of Covina High School do not know anything about, it is baseball. Reed twirled a fine game for the ex-grads in their game with the high schol team last Saturady, but his support at times not being of the gilt-edged variety, the preps finished ahead 5 to 2.

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Owing to the lateness of their arrival, we will offer all our Suede pumps at $2.50. All colors.

Broadwell Stores.

Traveling Passenger Agent E. G. Vestal of the San Pedro, Salt Lake and Los Angeles Railroad Company was in town yesterday on business relative to special rates to the East.

Ice cream on July 3. Served by the ladies of the Baptist Church, corner Citrus and Badillo streets.

The firm of Hazzard & Welch has sold to Thomas Treweek, lot 11 in the Palm Place tract. Mr. Treweek recently purchased a fine ranch of this firm, and is buying this additional property for the purpose of erecting a fine home residence. His new home will cost in the neighborhood of $2,500.

Don't fail to attend the sacred concert at the M. E. Church Sunday evening, under the direction of Prof. R. W. Groom.

Ten and twenty-five cent packages of fireworks, assorted for Fourth of July now on sale at McLeod's store, opposite Horne's grocery.

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